

What is claimed is:

1. A page for binding in an album, the page comprising:
a printer paper sheet; and
- 5 a hinge strip mounted along an edge of the printer paper sheet, the hinge strip including a flexible portion and a mounting portion for mounting the page to an album, wherein the paper sheet and the hinge strip are adapted to go through a printer together to provide a ready-to-bind printed page.
- 10 2. The page of claim 1, wherein the printer paper sheet comprises a cotton rag paper material.
3. The page of claim 1, wherein the printer paper sheet comprises an uncoated, unbleached paper.
- 15 4. The page of claim 1, wherein the printer paper sheet comprises a 100% cotton fiber, acid-free paper.
5. The page of claim 1, wherein the hinge strip is 100% acid-free.
- 20 6. The page of claim 1, wherein the hinge strip includes a mounting strip spaced apart from the edge of the printer paper sheet and connected to the printer paper sheet by a linen tape.
- 25 7. The page of claim 6, wherein the linen tape is attached to the mounting strip and the printer paper sheet by an acrylic adhesive.
8. A system for binding prints to an album, the system comprising:
a blank, printer paper sheet; and

a hinge strip having a first portion for mounting to an album and a second portion which is adapted to be mountable to an edge of the printer paper sheet, wherein the hinge strip includes a flexible portion such that when the hinge strip is mounted to the printer paper sheet the hinge strip is bendable along the flexible
5 portion.

9. The system of claim 8, wherein the blank, printer paper sheet comprises a cotton rag paper material.

10 10. The system of claim 8, wherein the blank, printer paper sheet comprises an uncoated, unbleached paper.

11. The system of claim 8, wherein the blank, printer paper sheet comprises a 100% cotton fiber, acid-free paper.

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12. The system of claim 8, wherein the hinge strip is 100% acid-free.

13. The system of claim 8, wherein the hinge strip includes a mounting strip and a linen tape strip mounted along and overhanging an edge of the mounting strip, the
20 linen tape strip having an adhesive covered by a release tape on the overhanging portion.

14. The page of claim 14, wherein the linen tape is attached to the mounting strip by an acrylic adhesive.

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15. A method of preserving a printed image, the method comprising:
providing a page which includes:
a blank, printer paper sheet; and

a hinge strip mounted along an edge of the printer paper sheet, the hinge strip including a flexible portion for allowing the hinge strip to bend and a mounting portion for mounting the page to an album; and

printing an image on the page by sending the page through a printer.

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16. The method of claim 15, further comprising mounting the page in an album.

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